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RUSSIA FIGHTS FURIOUSLY TO CHECK TEUTONS

Campaign in Galicia and Carpathians May Hinge on Events of Next Few Days
—Slavs are on Defensive

HUGE NUMBER OF ENEMY CAPTURED, SAYS VIENNA

On West, Paris Admits Germans Have Made Advance in Belgium—Italy Proceeds as if Expecting to Enter War

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
VIENNA, Austria, May 6.—The desperate battle in Galicia is in progress day and night and the advance of the Austrian forces continues. Prisoners to the number of 50,000 have been taken. The number of prisoners taken in the last two days is reported as high as 150,000.

BATTLE IS MOMENTOUS

LONDON, England, May 6.—The battle of Galicia in developing into one of the greatest pitched conflicts of the war, according to reports here, with the Russians opposing the Austro-German forces.

Petrograd, while admitting that the situation is serious, says that the Teutons have been checked.

Berlin, in its official announcements today, contends that the Russians are in general retreat, that the whole Russian position in the Carpathians is now precarious and that the eastern campaign may turn upon the events of the next few days.

PARIS CONCEDES GAINS

LONDON, England, May 6.—The Germans have made further gains in Belgium, Paris today conceding that the Germans have won positions on Hill Sixty.

BERLIN REPORTS SUCCESS

BERLIN, Germany, May 6.—The French have been forced to evacuate Ailly wood and 2000 have been captured. The number of French killed is extremely heavy.

ITALY MAKES WAR PLANS

ROME, Italy, May 6.—On the Italian frontier military preparations are proceeding as if Italy expects to participate in the war. Carabineers and customs men have been called to the colors. The frontier is fortified and measures are being taken to defend Venice.

SAYS TURKS REPULSED

LONDON, England, May 6.—The operations of the Allies against the Dardanelles forts, in an endeavor to penetrate to Constantinople, are being pressed forward in a highly satisfactory manner and with every evidence of success, Premier Asquith told the house of commons today.
He declared that at the Turkish attack on the encampment at Krithia, the Turks were repulsed and left 1500 soldiers dead on the field.

Rainbow Becomes Submarine Tender.
Remaining for years a station ship in Asiatic waters, the U. S. auxiliary cruiser Rainbow, which passed through Honolulu some months ago to San Francisco will become a submarine tender. The early completion of the new type of K undersea wasps has necessitated refitting the Rainbow at \$80,000 to serve the purpose of a mother ship.

VALLEY ISLE IS EN FETE TO MEET CONGRESS PARTY

Hospitable Maui Turns Out Big Crowd to Welcome the Visitors

KAHULUI BREAKWATER LIKELY TO BENEFIT

Congressman Barchfeld Says He is Convinced of Need for Breakwater Extension

BY LAURENCE W. REDINGTON
(Star-Bulletin Staff Correspondent with Congressional Party.—By Wireless.)
WAILUKU, Maui, May 6.—The Valley Island of the territory gave a great and bountiful welcome to the congressional party early this morning and is continuing to entertain the distinguished visitors in the most hospitable manner.

The round-the-islands trip started off auspiciously when the steamer Mauna Kea, on her special voyage, met weather of the best and a sea between Honolulu and Kahului so smooth that the ancient mariners aboard declared it constitutes a record for inter-island voyages.

The steamer arrived at Kahului an hour ahead of time. The arrangements were all perfected so completely that the party is following exactly the program decided upon in advance. The schedule for today is as follows:

A. M.—Arrived at Kahului; distributed to private houses, hotels, etc., in Kahului, Paia and Wailuku. Breakfast where located, short excursions taken.

11 a. m.—Special train left Wailuku for Hailu. Train picked up passengers at all depots.

1 p. m.—Luncheon at Hailu. Visited pineapple cannery and homesteads.

4 p. m.—Leave Hailu; arrive at Wailuku 5 p. m.

8 p. m.—Puunene Club house to spend evening; reception, dancing, swimming competitions in pool.

Representative Barchfeld of the house rivers and harbors committee was much interested this morning in the plans for the improvement of Kahului harbor.

He says that he is convinced of the need of the west breakwater and the

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CALLS HAWAII AN OUTPOST OF WHOLE NATION

Representative J. Hampton Moore Strong Believer in Great Fortifications Here

"The man who says that 'No shot fired on the Pacific coast can cross the Rockies' and himself easily disarmed if this country is ever attacked from the Pacific side. He will find that a hostile shell can create havoc hundreds of miles away from where it strikes."

This was the significant remark made by Representative J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania after he had paid a flying visit to Pearl Harbor yesterday, and witnessed a review of the troops at Schofield Barracks.

Keenly alive to the defensive needs of Hawaii and well posted on all legislative action towards this end, the congressman from the Quaker state was in a position to make some very pertinent comments on military and naval preparation on Oahu.

"It may sound like a selfish creed to the people of Hawaii," continued Mr. Moore, "but it is a fact that we want to keep away from continental United States as long as possible. Hawaii is an outpost of the nation, and therefore must bear the danger and hazard that falls to the lot of outposts. It is our duty to make Hawaii as strong as possible, so that it may fulfill its duties in this regard."

"Every day that our fleet can delay a hostile fleet from approaching the Pacific slope is a day of great importance gained, and for this reason I believe that preparations for defense here should be most thorough. We should step at no half measures with Pearl Harbor, and the land forces planned to defend it. If we are to have a naval base in the Hawaiian Islands, by all means let it be a good one."

"I have been intensely interested in naval matters for some time past, and while it is to be supposed that we will have many more years of peace than years of strife, we should guarantee the former with preparations for the latter. I have been working hard for a system of inland waterways on the Atlantic seaboard that would be of value to the navy in time of war, and that would also be an aid to commerce during the piping times of peace. It is with great interest that I am studying the situation here, and I can not speak too strongly of my desire to see Hawaii adequately protected."

LAFE YOUNG OF IOWA ARRESTED BY AUSTRIANS

Noted Newspaper Editor and Former U. S. Senator Held Under Suspicion; Now Freed

GERMANS CONTINUE TO SINK BRITISH VESSELS

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]

VIENNA, Austria, May 6.—Former Senator Lafayette Young, editor of the Des Moines Capital, accompanied by the ex-American deputy consul at Berne has been arrested at Innsbruck because of suspicion of spying directed against his companion.

Senator Young has been released with apologies. His companion was held a day before the authorities were satisfied he was not the man sought as a spy.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 6.—Ex-Senator Young is in Europe acting as a war correspondent for his paper here, the Capital.

MORE SUBMARINE VICTIMS

LONDON, England, May 6.—It is announced that the Grimsby trawler Stratton has been sunk by a submarine in the North Sea.

The steamer Cathay, bound from Copenhagen for China, has been sunk either by a mine or a submarine in the North Sea. The passengers of the Cathay were rescued and the crews of both the Cathay and the Stratton are safe.

LONDON, England, May 6.—The schooner Earl Latham has been sunk by a submarine off the Irish coast.
(Additional war news, Page 9.)

LOCAL CHINESE SEND MEMORIAL TO CONGRESSMEN

That the United Chinese Society and the Lung Do Society have taken up with members of the congressional party, particularly with members of the house committee on immigration, a plan for a special labor agreement affecting Hawaii only became known last night.

The Star-Bulletin learns also that when the congressional party returns from its tour of the other islands, the congressmen will afford the Chinese an opportunity to explain their desires in detail. Already the request has deeply interested the official visitors.

Equal recognition for the Chinese and other Asiatic races is the prayer of the United Society in Hawaii to the individual members of the congressional party. Immigration privileges which have been denied the Chinese since annexation in 1898, are sought again, with the prophecy that labor benefits would result from a special labor agreement affecting Hawaii but not the mainland.

Each senator and congressman was presented with a copy of the memorial Monday. The memorial is as follows: "An opportunity presents itself at this time, which may never occur again, that the Chinese population of these Hawaiian Islands, as a whole, can, through the undersigned, petition you and your conferees, who are the law makers of the United States of America, its territories and possessions, asking you to read these facts we present to you, and then collectively or individually investigate the statements we offer, also to accord us an audience, as substantiation of what we state, as well as the object we desire to arrive at, if possible, through your consideration and cooperation.

"America and other nations, far removed from these islands, do not have the knowledge of our people, or we would not offer these facts for your perusal.

"As far back as 1794, commercial relations were established between

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CHINESE MINISTER CALLS UPON BRYAN AFTER JAPANESE AMBASSADOR'S VISIT

Soldier-Statesman Faces War If He Stands Firm; Revolt If Yields



A recent photograph of President Yuan Shih-Kai, when he had laid aside the martial habiliments of the warrior and was simply dressed as he likes to be in moments of leisure. Yuan Shih-Kai is generally credited with being not only the greatest general in China, but the most astute diplomat perhaps in the Orient.

JAPANESE CONSUL DECLARES HIS COUNTRY WOULD PROTECT

Mr. Arita Does Not Believe War Will Come—Thinks Crisis Will Be Amicably Passed—Chinese Nationalists are Bitter at President Yuan Shih-Kai and Prophecy an Early Revolt

War between Japan and China is improbable at this time. Japan may enforce her demands, but will not have to resort to armed force. Yuan Shih-kai understands the intentions of Japan in making the demands, but he has not the support of his people, who neither understand their ruler nor Japan's policy of protection in the Far East.

This is the way Japanese Consul Arita sounds the situation now apparently at a crisis in the Orient. The consul, although reticent and reserved in his statements, said enough to show that he feels that the crisis will be met amicably without even calling in a third power.

"Japan cannot make China see how Japanese interests are Chinese interests," said the consul. "Japan's duty in the Orient is that of a protector. But even if China and my country go to war, Hawaii will not be drawn upon to furnish men. The Japanese and Chinese in these islands would not be affected in any way by hostilities in Asia."

However, the consul's colony in Honolulu is not so sanguine over the prospects and see the Orient embroiled in war by the side of which the Russo-Japanese struggle will seem as play. China has been gathering

strength and, according to the Sun Chung Kwok Bo, stands ready to defend the border as soon as Japan fires the first shot.

Gen. D. J. Wudan, the leading Chinese Nationalist in Honolulu, declares the situation has become revolutionary rather than of war with Japan. If Yuan had listened to his people, he says, war would have been raging even now but the president of the republic has been sparing for time so far. Japan would send an ultimatum to scare the Chinese populace into submission, says the revolutionist.

"I tell you there will be no war between China and Japan, but there will be a new China just the same. Dr. Sun has the provinces along the lower coast and rivers ready. Supplies of ammunition and money have been pouring in a constant stream from Japan to lower China."

"How can America be so blind to her own interests?" asks the Chinese patriot. "Your Congress has driven the American flag off the high seas of the Pacific. When the Japanese government takes over the Pacific Mail boats next November she will then control transportation in its entirety and China's only shipping ties with the United States will be in the hands of her enemy."

COMMANDER OF MARYLAND ASKS AN EXPLANATION

Inquires of Mayor Lane if Uniform Has Been Knowingly Discriminated Against

Naval officers have joined army officers in seeking an explanation of what appears to have been a discrimination against the uniform of the United States States at the luan given at Kapiolani park on Tuesday evening by Mayor Lane for the congressional visitors.

Commander Sumner E. W. Kittelle of the cruiser Maryland, now in port here, has transmitted to Mayor Lane a copy of a complaint of the alleged discrimination which was sent to him by Seaman A. B. Craig of the Maryland.

Commander Kittelle asks Mayor Lane to make an official explanation of the circumstances. The letter to the Mayor follows in full:
"Honolulu, T. H., May 6, 1915.
"The Mayor,
Honolulu, T. H.
"Dear Sir:—The following report has been made to me by one of the trusted and exemplary seamen of this ship:
"U. S. S. Maryland,
"Honolulu, T. H., May 5, 1915.
"From: A. B. Craig, seaman, U. S. Navy.
"To: Commanding Officer.
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FIRST CLASH MAY BE NEAR MUKDEN; CHINESE SOUTH OF CITY FACE ENEMY CLOSE BY

JAPANESE CIVILIANS FLEEING FROM MANCHURIA—REGIMENTS IN STRATEGIC POSITIONS—ULTIMATUM AT PEKING BUT NO SIGN YET FROM CHINESE AUTHORITIES—BRITISH PAPER DECLARES THAT IN MANY RESPECTS JAPANESE DEMANDS ARE MORE STRINGENT THAN THOSE MADE BY AUSTRIA UPON SERBIA BEFORE WAR

[Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 6.—Viscount Chinda, Japanese ambassador to the United States, was in conference with Secretary of State Bryan today. He said after the conference that he had not heard of the ultimatum to China.

After Ambassador Chinda had conferred with Mr. Bryan, Mr. Kai Fu Shah, the Chinese minister, visited the secretary of state and was closeted with him.

TOKIO, Japan, May 6.—Official.—The Japanese ultimatum to China has been sent.

An extra issued by the Kokumin Shimbun says that the ultimatum stipulates that China must accept unconditionally the decision of the imperial council. It is understood the ultimatum demands acceptance by 5 p. m. on May 9.

MUKDEN, Manchuria, May 6.—With Japan and China on the verge of war, there is a general flight of Japanese civilians from Mukden and the territory surrounding it, owing to the danger of outbreaks. A few bankers and railroad officials still remain.

The Japanese troops are occupying strategic positions in and around Mukden, at the railroad station and along the Dairen-Changchung railroad.

The Chinese soldiers are encamped south of the city, prepared to make a feeble resistance.

CHINA WOULD HAVE VOICE AS TO KIAOCHAU

TOKIO, Japan, May 6.—It is understood here that China in one of the recent answers to Japan upon the Japanese "demands" in addition to asking that Japan put in writing the promise to restore Kiaochau, wanted Japan to agree to secure from the Allies rights for the Chinese to participate in the peace conference following the war, to which question of the permanent disposal of Kiaochau will be submitted.

BRITISH COMMENT IS AGAINST JAPAN

LONDON, England, May 6.—Commenting upon the Japan-China situation, the Daily News today declares:

"It is not easy to find a parallel for these demands made by Japan upon China. In many respects they are more stringent than those Austria made upon Serbia. China has done nothing to incur such a penalty.

"If China were a military nation, she would never be thus challenged."

ULTIMATUM REACHES LEGATION AT PEKING

PEKING, China, May 6.—The ultimatum from Japan to China has reached the Japanese legation here, to be presented through Minister Hioki to China. It has probably been presented to the Chinese government.

HANKOW, China, May 6.—The Japanese barracks here are being made ready to resist a siege. Japanese from the city and country nearby are departing for the ports.

SWEEPING FOR SUBMARINE IN SPITE OF WIND

In spite of a strong breeze and a rough sea the task of "sweeping" for the lost submarine P-4 was resumed today by the tugs Navajo and Intrepid, and a strike of some kind was made. It has not yet been determined whether the line caught is on the submarine or on some obstruction on the floor of the sea.

Two heavy old anchors were brought up yesterday; the net results of the "sweeping" earlier in the week, when two lines made strikes. The strain on each of the cables was very light, and when the lines were hauled up came two rusty old anchors.

The lines which brought up the anchors were not heavy lifting cables, but merely light lines which had been used to anchor the dredge Caylord and mark the position of the submerged craft.

SHINGLE IS PRESIDENT OF LAVA BRICK COMPANY

Robert W. Shingle was this morning elected president of the Honolulu Lava Brick Company, at a meeting of the directors held subsequent to an adjourned annual meeting of shareholders. At the shareholders' meeting vice-president, Mr. Stone, secretary, Mr. Shingle, Cecil Brown, F. R. Campbell, treasurer, and H. H. Steere, E. M. Campbell, C. G. Ballen-Kennedy, auditor.

PREFER COOL OF MOANA BEACH TO OTHER ISLANDS

While the main party of congressional visitors is enjoying the hospitality of Maui, there are some left in Honolulu who prefer the cool shade beach near the Moana hotel to hurried beach across the other islands. Those remaining in Honolulu are being taken care of by members of the entertainment committee who did not take the trip to Maui and the volcano.

Several dinner parties are being planned for the distinguished guests. Some will board the Kilaeue Saturday afternoon and join the main party at the Volcano House Sunday. Others are content to stay here and enjoy a complete rest. Citizens of Honolulu have placed their ears at the disposal of the visitors for sight-seeing trips around the city and to nearby points.

Those staying over at the Moana hotel are: Senator and Mrs. Cummings, Senator and Mrs. Smoot, Senator and Mrs. Salisbury, Senator Overman, Representative Rodenberg and wife, Representatives Dyer and Thomas, Messrs. Mann, Daines and Jenkins, Mrs. Cullen, Mrs. Miller and the Misses Mattia, Pomeroy and Borden.

Mr. P. Muhlenberg and Mrs. Harry son were chosen as directors. Other officers elected were: Mr. Brown, vice-president; Mr. Stone, secretary; Mr. Shingle, treasurer, and H. H. Steere, E. M. Campbell, C. G. Ballen-Kennedy, auditor.